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25X1 1. Robert Rossak, liaison man between the Austrian Communist Party and USIA Headquarters, left Vienna [redacted]

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25X1 2. Just prior to his departure from Vienna, Rossak was summoned to an interview with Vasili Ivanovich Cherneiveinko, USIA personnel director and suspected MVD official. Cherneiveinko instructed Rossak to investigate the present status of the Mitterberg glass factory, which allegedly is nearing completion and is expected to start manufacturing sheet glass in the near future.\* Cherneiveinko also asked Rossak to meet several Communists in Kaprun and to instruct them on ways to advance their demands for higher wages.\*\*

25X1 [redacted] Comment: [redacted] the Mitterberg glass factory is  
25X1 nearing completion is erroneous; this factory is still in the planning  
stage [redacted]

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25X1 [redacted] Comment: These Communists are probably employees of the Kaprun  
25X1 hydroelectric plant, Tauernkraftwerke A.G.25X1 [redacted] Comment: Rossak probably made this trip in a dual capacity as  
representative of USIA and Austrian Communist Party Headquarters.

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